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IN THE UNITED STATES PA	ATENT .	AND TRADEMARK OFFIC	CE .
In Application of:)		
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KOICHIRO KAWAGUCHI, ET AL.)		
Appln. No.: 10/082,181	:) :	Group Art Unit: 2852	EGHNOL ELY
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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Application, a copy of which is enclosed:

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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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